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NEWS RELEASE

08/05/2020 El Paso, Texas

Gang/SWAT Call on Gateway

Date: August 4, 2020

Location: 3326 Gateway East apt. B Offender: 26 – year old Andy Galindo

Charges: Unlawful Possession of a Firearm by Felon Bond: \$5,000 issued by Jail

Magistrate Estrada

Unlawful Carrying Weapon Prohibited Places bond: \$750 issued by Jail Magistrate

Discharge of a Firearm in Certain Municipalities bond: \$3,000 issued by Jail

Magistrate Estrada

A 26 -year old male wanted on various charges was taken into custody last night after holding officers at bay for several hours. 26 -year old Andy Galindo was wanted for Unlawful Possession of a Firearm by a Felon, Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon at Prohibited Places, and Discharge of a Firearm in Certain Municipalities. The charges stem from a fight/shots fired call at 1441 N. Zaragosa on the night of June 11th, where the offender fired several rounds and fortunately no one was shot. Galindo was identified as the offender and last night he was tracked by investigators to an apartment at 3326 Gateway North. After Galindo refused to exit the apartment, the SWAT team and Crisis Management officers responded to assist. A female inside the apartment walked out of the apartment carrying a baby. Galindo later walked to the front door holding a small child in one arm and another child in front of him. Crisis Management officers convinced Galindo to surrender and he was then taken into custody without further incident. Galindo was booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility.



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